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Request for Certificates of Correction

Consideration has been given to your request for the issuance of a Certificate of Correction, for the above – identified patent under the provisions of CFR 1.322.

Inspection of the application for the patent reveals that the certificate of correction filed for Patent No. 710,6888 appears to satisfy the two statutory requirements set forth in MPEP 1481. First, it corrects a mistake of a clerical nature. Second, the correction does not involve changes that would appear appropriate for the certificate of correction to issue, except, Applicant contends that the error was not caused by them but rather caused by office. (See submission filed 3/21/07). Contrary to what applicant is required to show that the mistake occurred in good faith and submit payment of the fee set forth in section 1.20(a). Once the showing of good faith is met and the fee is paid, the certificate of correction should issue. Therefore being no fault on the Patent and Trademark Office, It has no authority to issue a certificate of correction under the provision of 1.322.

In view of the forgoing, your request in this matter, is hereby denied.

Future written correspondence concerning this matter should be filed and directed to Decisions & Certificates of Correction Branch.

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